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## BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

JOHN E. DOUGHERTY,	) DOCKET NO. W-04254A-11-0323
Complainant,	) MOTION TO WITHDRAW
-VS-	
MONTEZUMA RIMROCK WATER COMPANY, LLC,	
Respondent.	) )

Undersigned counsel for Montezuma Rimrock Water Company LLC seeks leave of court to withdraw in accordance with *Rule 5.1[a]*, *Arizona Rules of Civil Procedure*. This motion is necessary because of the excessive and burdensome barrage of motions and discovery requests submitted by Intervener John Dougherty. Such requests and motions have resulted in significant time demands on undersigned counsel and into bills for legal services which are onerous to the water company.

Mr. Dougherty has known, from the inception of these proceedings, that the financial condition of the water company is tenuous. He has engaged in abusive and unprofessional gamesmanship, apparently in an attempt to run up attorney's fees for the water company which he knows it can ill afford.

This motion is supported by the written consent of the water company and is submitted 1 with a proposed form of order. This motion is further supported by the certification of counsel 2 3 required by ARCP 5.1[a][2][B]. The name, address and telephone number of counsel's client 4 are: 5 Montezuma Rimrock Water Company 6 PO Box 10 4615 E. Goldmine Road 7 Rimrock, AZ 86335 928-300-3291 8 9 WHEREFORE, undersigned counsel requests that he be given leave to withdraw. 10 DATED this 4th day of January, 2011. 11 LAW OFFICE OF DOUGLAS C. FITZPATRICK 12 13 By 14 Douglas C. Fitzpatrick Attorney for Montezuma Rimrock Water Company LLC 15 16 17 18 19 ORIGINAL and 13 copies 20 of the foregoing mailed this 4th day of January, 2012, 21 to: 22 Arizona Corporation Commission 23 **Docket Control** 1200 West Washington Street 24 Phoenix, Arizona 85007 25 COPY of the foregoing 26 mailed this day of 4th January, 2011, to: 27

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16	Undersigned counsel for Montaguma Pimrock W	otor Company II C cortifica on follows
17	Undersigned counsel for Montezuma Rimrock W	ater Company LLC certifies as follows
18	pursuant to Rule 5.1[a][2][B], Arizona Rules of Civil Pro	ocedure: The water company has been
19	notified in writing of the status of the case including the o	lates and times of any court hearings or
20	trial settings, pending compliance with existing court ord	ers and the possibility of sanctions.
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1 The water company is aware of the procedural conference which has been set for January 2 3 18, 2012 at 10:00 A.M. In the event that an order has not been entered granting counsel's 4 motion to withdraw, he will be in attendance at the hearing. 5 DATED this 4 day of January, 2012. 6 LAW OFFICE OF DOUGLAS C. FITZPATRICK 7  $\mathbf{BY}$ 8 Douglas'C. Fitzpatrick 9 Attorney for applicant, Montezuma Rimrock Water Company, LLC. 10 11 ORIGINAL and 13 copies 12 of the foregoing mailed this day of January, 2012, 13 14 **Arizona Corporation Commission** 15 **Docket Control** 1200 West Washington Street 16 Phoenix, Arizona 85007 17 COPY of the foregoing mailed this day of 18 January, 2012, to: 19 20 Darak R. Eaddy **Utilities Division** 21 Arizona Corporation Commission 1200 West Washington Street 22 Phoenix, Arizona 85007 23 John Dougherty 24 PO Box 501 Rimrock, Arizona 86335 25 26 27 28

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10	Complainant, CONSENT TO WITHDRAW
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13	MONTEZUMA RIMROCK WATER ) COMPANY, LLC,
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15	Respondent. )
16	I Patricia Olgan, as the authorized agent and managing member of the Mantaguma
17	I, Patricia Olsen, as the authorized agent and managing member of the Montezuma
18	Rimrock Water Company LLC, do consent to the withdrawal of Douglas C. Fitzpatrick as my
19	attorney in this action.
20	DATED this 4 day of JANUARY, 201 2.
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10	Complainant, ORDER
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15	Respondent. )
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17	PURSUANT TO counsel's Motion to Withdraw and good cause appearing,
18	IT IS ORDERED granting said motion and allowing Douglas C. Fitzpatrick to withdraw
19	as counsel for Montezuma Rimrock Water Company, LLC.
20	IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, pursuant to ARCP 5.1[a][2][A], that counsel shall give
21	prompt notice of the entry of this order along with the name and address of his client to all other
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23	parties or their attorneys.
24	DONE IN OPEN COURT this day of January, 2012.
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26	Judge Sarah Harpring
27	Judge Saran Harpring
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